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In re Application of  
**Reinhard Klemm**

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**09/164,509**

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For **Method and Apparatus for Prefetching Internet Resources  
Based on Estimated Round Trip Time**

Art Unit  
**2152**

Examiner  
**S. Willett**

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